

Amendments to the Specification:

Kindly replace the paragraph at page 12, lines 15 – 26, with the following:

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Alternatively, the cis plasmid and, optionally, the trans plasmid, may be transfected into a packaging cell line which provides the remaining helper functions necessary for production of a rAAV containing the desired AAV-1 sequences of the invention. An example of a suitable packaging cell line, wherein an AAV=2 capsid is desired, is B-50, which stably expresses AAV-2 rep and cap genes under the control of a homologous P5 promoter. This cell line is characterized by integration into the cellular chromosome of multiple copies (at least 5 copies) of P5-rep-cap gene in a concatomer form. This B-50 cell line was deposited with the ~~American Type Culture Collection~~ AMERICAN TYPE CULTURE COLLECTION depository, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, Virginia 20110-2209, on September 18, 1997 under Accession No. CRL-12401 pursuant to the provisions of the Budapest Treaty. However, the present invention is not limited as to the selection of the packaging cell line. - -

Replace the paragraph at page 14, lines 16 – 26 with the following:

- - Alternatively, host cells of the invention may be stably transfected with a rAAV expression cassette of the invention, and with copies of AAV-1 rep and cap genes. Suitable parental cell lines include mammalian cell lines and it may be desirable to select host cells from among non-simian mammalian cells. Examples of suitable parental cell lines include, without limitation, HeLa [ATCC® depository, Accession No. CCL 2], A549 [ATCC® depository, Accession No. CCL 185], KB [CCL 17], Detroit [e.g., Detroit 510, CCL 72] and WI-38 [CCL 75] cells. These cell

lines are all available from the ~~American Type Culture Collection~~ AMERICAN TYPE CULTURE COLLECTION depository, 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, Virginia 20110-2209 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, Virginia 20110-2209 USA. Other suitable parent cell lines may be obtained from other sources and may be used to construct stable cell lines containing the P5 and/or AAV rep and cap sequences of the invention. - -